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…OF ILLINOIS, } ss. …ON COUNTY, }

…ircuit Court—December Term, A. D. 1875.

…CE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a cer… …euit is now pending and undeter… …n the Circuit Court of Macon coun… …he State of Illinois, on the chancery …aid court, wherein Melissa Sizeland …nes Sizeland are complainants, and … R. Gorin, Mary Conklin, Charles …, Phebe Herrell, Uriah Herrell, … Dewees, Erasmus Dewees, William …, Abram Dewees, Demaris Dewees …ebe Dewees are defendants, and that …ns has been issued in said cause, …e at the Court House in Decatur, …ounty of Macon, State of Illinois, on … Monday of December, A. D. 1875, …t unless you, the said defendants, …h of you, then and there, appear, …ad, answer or demur to said com… …nts' bill, the same and the allega… …herein will be taken as confessed, and …e entered according to the prayer of …l. E. McCLELLAN, Clerk. …& ELDRIDGE and T. Lee and E. Park, …ainants' solicitors. …ur, Oct. 20, 1875—d4d

…HANCERY NOTICE.

…ICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO DANIEL …fevre, Margaret Loucks, Samuel … Jonathan McGuigan, Elizabeth …, Barbara Fullerton, John H. Mc… …, George W. McGuigan and Peter …na, that Charles S. Lewis, as com… …t, has filed his bill of complaint … them, impleaded with Samuel L. …, Elizabeth Lloyd, Mary Rankin, …err, George W. Rankin, Esther J. …, Ellen R. Hatch, John Rankin, and …n A. Goodrich, administrator of the …f George W. Lefevre, in the State of …, defendants, in the Circuit Court of … county, Illinois, in chancery, and …mmons has been issued thereon, re… …e into said court, where said cause …pending, on the first day of the next …ereof, to be held at the Court House, …ty of Decatur, said county and State, … Monday of December, A. D. 1875, …nd where, unless they, the said … Lefevre, Margaret Loucks, Samuel … Jonathan McGuigan, Elizabeth …, Barbara Fullerton, John H. …an, George W. McGuigan and … McGuigan shall appear, and …nswer or demur to said bill, the …ill be taken as confessed against … EDMISTON McCLELLAN, …f Circuit Court of Macon county, Ill. … & EWING, Solicitors for Compl't. …ur, Ill., Oct. 25, 1875—d4w

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ON AND AFTER MONDAY, MAY 21, 1875, trains will depart from and arrive at Decatur, daily, except Sunday, as follows:

GOING EAST.

Passenger.................................. 1:45 p m
Freight and Accommodation........ 7:00 a m

ARRIVE AT DECATUR.

Passenger.................................. 11,15 a m
Freight and Accommodation........ 5,00 p m

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Trains depart from Decatur, as follows:

MAIN LINE:

GOING WEST:

No. 1 Through Express.................. 2 40 a. m
" 3 Fast Express.......................... 12 00 m.
" 5 Kansas City Express.............. 7 25 a. m

GOING EAST:

No. 2 Lightning Express.................. 11 20 p. m
" 4 Atlantic...................................... 1 50 p. m
" 6 New York Fast Line................ 6 05 a. m

The following Freight trains will carry passengers with tickets:

Going east.............. 9:15 a. m....... 7:45 p. m
Going west.............. 2:15 p. m....... 6,00 p. m

PEORIA DIVISION:

DEPART:

No. 74 Express.................................... 7 30 a. m
" 73 Mail........................................... 2 00 p. m

ARRIVE:

No. 72 Express.................................... 11 10 p. m
" 71 Mail........................................... 11 35 a. m

ST. LOUIS DIVISION:

DEPART:

No. 41 Through Express.................. 2 45 a. m
" 43 Fast Express........................... 12 05 p. m
" 45 Accommodation...................... 5 45 a. m

ARRIVE:

No. 42 Lightning Express................ 11 15 p. m
" 44 Atlantic..................................... 1 25 p. m
" 46 Accommodation...................... 9 20 p. m

R. ANDREWS, Gen'l Sup't, Toledo.
W. L. MALCOLM, Gen'l Pass'r Ag't, Toledo.
K. HARWOOD, Ticket Agent, Decatur.

**THROUGH TIME BY THE**

**I. B. & W. ROUTE.**

**EASTWARD.**

| STATIONS. | No. 2. | No. 4. | No. 6. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Lv Decatur...... | | | 2 00 p m |
| Ar Monticello... | | | 4 10 " |
| " Champaign. | | | 5 50 " |
| " Chicago...... | | | 7 30 a m |
| Lv Champaign.. | 8 45 a m | 11 00 a m | 11 55 p m |
| Ar Danville...... | 8 35 a m | 12 23 p m | 1 56 a m |
| T., W. & W. R. R. | | | |
| Lv Decatur...... | 6 05 a m | | 11 30 p m |
| " Tolono...... | 7 21 a m | | 12 42 a m |
| Ar Danville...... | 8 30 a m | | 1 58 a m |
| I., B. & W. R. R. | | | |
| Lv Danville...... | 9 40 a m | 12 42 p m | 2 05 a m |
| Ar Indianapolis | 12 40 p m | 4 10 p m | 6 15 a m |
| " Cincinnati.... | 6 00 p m | 9 20 p m | 12 15 p m |
| " Dayton........ | | 9 25 p m | 2 45 p m |
| " Columbus..... | | 11 30 p m | 5 55 p m |
| " Zanesville..... | | 2 32 a m | |
| " Wheeling..... | | 6 35 a m | |
| " Washington.. | 5 00 p m | 8 17 p m | 5 00 p m |
| " Baltimore..... | 6 00 p m | 6 35 p m | 6 45 p m |
| " Pittsburg..... | | 6 45 a m | 3 03 a m |
| " Harrisburg.... | | 2 55 p m | 11 35 a m |
| " Philadelphia | 10 45 p m | 6 20 p m | 3 35 p m |
| " New York.... | | 9 15 p m | 6 45 p m |
| " Crestline...... | | 4 20 a m | |
| " Cleveland..... | | 7 10 a m | |
| " Buffalo........ | | 1 10 p m | |
| " Boston........ | | 10 00 a m | |
| " Louisville..... | | 11 10 p m | 12 45 p m |
| " Nashville..... | | 7 20 a m | |

No. 6 via T., W. & W. Ry, will leave Decatur daily except Saturday. All other trains daily except Sunday.

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Dec. 26, 1874-dtf.

**Illinois Central R. R.**

*Trains Leave Decatur.*

GOING NORTH.

Passenger.......... 4 35 A M Sundays excepted
Stock Express.... 11 00 A M " "
Freight.............. 3 25 P M " "
" & accom... 5 20 P M " "

GOING SOUTH.

Passenger.......... 5 20 P M Sundays excepted
Accommodation, 11 00 A M " "
Freight.............. 7 50 A M " "
Freight.............. 3 10 P M " "

The 3:25 train going north does not carry passengers.

A. MITCHELL, Gen'l Supt., Chicago.
J. C. CLARK, Gen'l Manager, "
W. P. JOHNSON, Gen'l Pass'r Agt, Chicago.
J. F. TUCKER, Gen. Fr't Ag't, "
C. O. JUDSON, Agent.

**ILLINOIS MIDLAND R'Y.**

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GOING EAST.
*No. 3.*

Leave Decatur.................................. 7 00 a. m
Arrive at Terre Haute........................ 12 05 p. m.
" " Indianapolis...................... 4 10 "
" " Cincinnati.......................... 9 20 "
" " Louisville........................... 11 10 "

*No. 1.*

Arrive from Peoria............................ 8 20 "
Leave Decatur.................................. 8 25 "
Arrive at Terre Haute........................ 1 15 a. m.
" " Indianapolis...................... 4 00 "
" " Cincinnati.......................... 8 45 "

GOING WEST.
*No. 2.*

Arrive from Terre Haute................... 6 50 a. m.
Leave for Peoria................................ 7 30 a. m.
Arrive at " .................................. 11 10 a. m.
" " Rock Island....................... 6 30 p. m.
" " Decatur.............................. 9 10 p. m.

Train No. 4 arrives from the east at 9:10 p. m., and lays over here until the next morning at 7 o'clock, when it leaves for Terre Haute and Indianapolis.

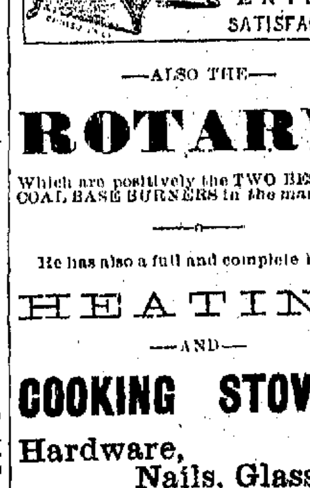
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MAILS CLOSE

For Terre Haute, on Ill. M. R. R..... 9:45 A. M.
" West and St. Louis, on T., W. & W.......................................... 11:20 A. M.
" Peoria, on Ill. M. R. R................. 11:20 A. M.
" East and Chicago, on T. W. & W., 1:00 P. M.
" East, on Ind. & Ill. Cent.............. 1:00 P. M.
" Pekin & Peoria, on T., W. & W., 1:00 P. M.
" Monticello and Champaign, on I. B. & W.................................... 1:00 P. M.
" South, on Ill. Cent...................... 4:15 "
" Chicago, St. Louis & Lafayette, 7:30 "
" North & East of Lafayette......... 7:30 "
" Sullivan and Mattoon................ 7:30 "

MAILS ARRIVE

From South, St. Louis and East..... 5:30 A. M.
" Sullivan and Mattoon.................. 5:30 "
" Chicago, Cincinnati and Lafayette............................................ 7:30 "
" Monticello and Champaign, on I. B. & W.................................... 11:50 "
" Peoria, via I. M. R. R.................. 11:50 "
" East, on I. & I. C......................... 12:00 M.
" East & Pekin, on T. W. & W., 12:00 P. M.
" Terre Haute, on I. M. R. R., 12:00 "
" West and St. Louis, on T., W. & W.............................................. 1:45 "
" North, on Illinois Central.... 5:30 "

R. P. LYTLE, Postmaster.

**HEARTY BREAKFASTS.**

In a large majority of cases, says the *Journal of Health*, it will be found that the best and healthiest meal of the day should be eaten in the morning. If the closing repast of the day has not been eaten *too late*, or has *not* been excessive in quantity or indigestible in quality, the stomach will be rested and active in the morning after the individual has enjoyed a cool bath. The stomach will then respond quickly with the necessary gastric juice for the solution of food, and, if a fair amount of exercise is taken during the day, a large mass of food will be assimilated and converted into blood and tissue. With a good, substantial breakfast, no great amount of food will be required during the remainder of the day. One further meal will be ample, and that might better be taken at from 2 to 3 o'clock in the afternoon than at any period, if business engagements only permitted it. The breakfast may be made from any kind of wholesome food, and the fewer kinds the better. The dinner should be light and readily digested, if sound sleep is desired and strong appetite and perfect powers of digestion next day. If hunger comes, a bowl of sweet milk and well-cooked mush of Indian meal, or other unbolted grain, will allay it, and will digest quickly. One "square meal" in every twenty-four hours is all that can be taken care of by many weak stomachs, and more than this is an excess and induces headache, nausea, and distress. If dinners were abandoned, especially late and heavy dinners, myriads of dyspeptics would be cured. But under the exigencies of city life a late dinner cannot well be avoided. This need not be the tremendous meal it is customary to make it, if the breakfast be substantial and nutritious, and not a thing of slops and biscuits, as it too often is.

**ORIGIN OF THE TERM BROTHER JONATHAN.**

The story of the origin of the above term, as related many years ago, to the editor of the Norwich *Courier*, by a gentleman over eighty years of age, who was an active participator in the scenes of the Revolution, is as follows:

"When General Washington, after being appointed commander of the army of the Revolutionary war, came to Massachusetts to organize it and make preparations for the defense of the country, he found a great want of ammunition and other means necessary to meet the powerful foe he had to contend with, and great difficulty to obtain them. If attacked in such condition, the cause at once might be hopeless. On one occasion, at that anxious period, a consultation of the officers and others was held, when it seemed no way could be devised to make such preparation as was necessary. His Excellency, Jonathan Trumbull, the elder, was then governor of the state of Connecticut, on whose judgment and aid the general placed the greatest reliance, and remarked, 'We must consult Brother Jonathan on the subject.' The general did so, and the governor was successful in supplying many of the wants of the army. When difficulties afterwards arose, and the army was spread over the country, it became a by-word, 'We must consult Brother Jonathan.' The term Yankee is still applied to a portion, but 'Brother Jonathan' has now become a designation of the whole country, as John Bull has for England."

**PERTINACITY.**

A newspaper publisher being about to engage an advertisement canvasser, thus interrogated the applicant, who stated that he had never been in that line before:

"Now," said the publisher, "it is most likely that you will meet with many rebuffs and short answers. What will you do in that case?"

"Why, call again till they become civil to me."

"Perhaps you will be denied admittance to the principals. What then?"

"Why, I should sit down on the doorstep till they came out."

"Perhaps you would be put out of the front door."

"Then I should try to get in by a side one."

"Most likely, in such a case, they would threaten to call the police."

"Then I should make myself scarce, and try to meet my gentleman on Sunday, when he came out of church."

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Have just received their stock of

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OFFICE—In Central Block, Decatur, Ill.

May 28, 1875-dawtf.

**HARVEY PASCO,**

ATTORNEY AT LAW AND NOTARY Public, Solicitor of Collections, Bankruptcy and War Claims. Office over Bushor's shoe store, E. Main street, Decatur, Ill. Special attention given to Bankruptcy and general collecting business.

June 1, 1875—dawtf.

**W. T. CUSSINS;**

ATTORNEY AT LAW and GENERAL COLLECTING AGENT. Office—Room 5, Powers' Block. Prompt attention to business.

**D. L. BUNN,**

**ATTORNEY AT LAW.**

*OFFICE:*—Over Ladden & Co's Dry Goods Store, East Main street. [feb.8-'71

**St. Nicholas Hotel,**

N. LAUX & BRO., PROPRIETORS South side Old Square, Decatur Illinois *Bus to and from the cars.* aug1-tf

**Dr. J. KING, M. D.,**

HAS RESUMED THE PRACTICE of medicine. Office—Over Busher's shoe store

***Dr. A. S. Waltz,***

DENTIST, Decatur, Ill. Office, over Barber & Co's shoe store, East Main street. June 18, 1873—d3mos*

**I. A. BUCKINGHAM,**

ATTORNEY AT LAW.—Office over Hildebrandt's Drug Store, Decatur, Ill. April 13, 1872-dwtf.

H. L. ODOR. E. S. ELDRIDGE

**ODOR & ELDRIDGE,**

**ATTORNEYS at LAW**

*OFFICE:*—Over Nowell & Hammer's grocery store. [July 3, 1874-dly

**EDWIN PARK,**

ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW, and Notary Public. Office: Over Millikin's Bank. [june19,'74-tf.

**C. C. McComas,**

ATTORNEY AT LAW AND STATES Attorney for Macon county. Office:—Over the Post Office, Decatur, Ill. Dec. 13, 1873-d&wtf.

**W. C. JOHNS,**

**Attorney at Law.**

*OFFICE:* Over Quinlan's Carpet store East Main Street. [April-1-dtf.

**J. Stebbins King, M. D.,**

HAVING permanently located in Decatur will attend promptly to all

**PROFESSIONAL CALLS,**

IN CITY OR COUNTRY,

**DAY OR NIGHT**

RESIDENCE: No. 46, North Main St. Office—Southeast corner Old Square, over W. C. Armstrong's drug store. May 21, 1874-dawtf.

E. A. DILLON. S. F. DAVIDSON

**Dillon & Davidson,**

ATTORNEYS AT LAW, Tecumseh Nebraska. Have 25,000 acres of choice land in southeastern Nebraska for sale on reasonable terms. [feb20-wly.

**A. BROWER BUNN,**

ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW, Office in Central Block, over Wingate's lampstore, Merchant Street. August 3, 1875—dtf

**DR. R. C. DAWKINS,**

DENTIST, Decatur, Ill. Office over Smith Hammer & Co's Bank. [1-daw.1

**R. B. GRUELLE,**

**PORTRAIT PAINTER!**

—o—

HAVING opened my Studio on the south side of the New Square, over Stoner's drug store, I am prepared to paint Portraits in the highest style of the Art, at low prices. Satisfaction guaranteed. May 20, 1875—d&wtf

***B. I. STERRETT,***

**ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.**

OFFICE—Southeast cor. of the old square, in the office formerly occupied by R. G. Malone, Esq., over W. C. Armstrong's drug store. [June 1-d&wly

**Lizzie P. James, M. D.,**

HOMŒOPATHIC PHYSICIAN, having permanently located in Decatur, respectfully solicits patronage.

*Obstetrics, and Diseases of Women, a specialty*

OFFICE:—17 East Main street, over Littleberger & Sutizan's book store. March 22, 1875 dly

**DR. P. B. SPARKS,**

*HOMŒOPATHIC PHYSICIAN.*

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OFFICE:—Over the new Post Office. Residence—No. 44 North Main street. April 21, 1874—d6m*.

***M. A. MYER,***

***House, Sign & Fresco***

**PAINTER,**

Glazier, Grainer & Paper Hang-

THANKFUL for past favors, a continuance of the patronage of the public is respectfully solicited.

Shop over Quinlan & Bro.'s Carpet Store, East Main street, Decatur, Ill. March 17 1870-yl

**CHANCERY NOTICE.**

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to George E. Wood that Etta Wood has filed her bill of complaint in chancery in the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, as complainant, against him as defendant; that said cause is now pending in said court, and that summons has been issued against the said defendant, returnable into said court at the Court House in Decatur, in said county, on the FIRST MONDAY IN DECEMBER NEXT, when and where, unless said George E. Wood shall appear and defend, said bill will be taken for confessed against him.

EDMISTON McCLELLAN,
Clerk Circuit Court, Macon county, Ill.
NELSON & ROBY, Solicitors for Compl't.
Decatur, Ill., Oct. 16, A. D. 1875. [16-d4w

**CHANCERY NOTICE.**

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to Marilla D. Hazen and Alonzo P. Hazen, that Reuben H. Merriweather has filed his bill of complaint in chancery, in the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, as complainant, against them as defendants; that said cause is now pending in said court, and that summons has been issued against the said defendants, returnable into said court, at the Court House in Decatur, in said county, on the

*First Monday in December next,*

when and where, unless said Marilla D. Hazen and Alonzo P. Hazen shall appear and defend, said bill will be taken as confessed against them. E. McCLELLAN, Clerk Circuit Court, Macon county, Ill. Decatur, Oct. 25, 1875—d4w

# The Daily Republican.

HAMSHER & MOSSER,

H. K. HAMSHER, } Publishers.
C. R. MOSSER. }

DECATUR, ILLINOIS:
*Friday Evening, Oct. 20.*


## Republican County Ticket.

For County Treasurer,
GEORGE M. WOOD.
For County Surveyor,
GEORGE V. LORING.

AN honest ring—Farmer Jack, "Zip" Taylor, Farmer Park, and the Kansas grasshopper.

SAYS the *Republic*: "Cheap goods and valuable money" is the motto of the Republican party. "Cheap money and dear goods" is the Democratic motto. The first leads to prosperity—the latter to bankruptcy.

A GOOD Republican said yesterday, "They assessed me $5 to help elect Wood, and I paid it, but d—n them, I'll make it count more than that many votes the other way."—*Tribune.*

A good Democrat said in our hearing last evening, after reading the above, "I had about made up my mind not to vote at this election, but I'll be d—d if I don't vote for Wood now, anyhow.'

THE school-question is the coming issue in the opinion of the Louisville *Courier Journal*, which, *apropos* to Allen's stumping Pennsylvania in behalf of the rag-infant, says:

William Allen will go to Pennsylvania to speak, but if William Allen could not save the ragged bastard from death when it was full of vigor, how can he restore it to life now that it is dead?

* * * Then we must look beyond the financial problem for an issue, and we believe it may be found imperfectly and clumsily expressed in Gen. Grant's Des Moines speech.

OUR advices from the outside townships are of the most cheering character. Mr. Park is daily losing votes, while Mr. Wood is steadily gaining. In some of the townships which were expected to give Mr. Park large majorities, the tide is turning so strongly against him that the more enthusiastic Wood men are claiming a majority of the votes. The signs are certainly in favor of Mr. Wood, and all that is needed to secure his election by a handsome majority is to get out a full vote.

STATE CENSUS RETURNS.—The State Census of Massachusetts, taken the present year, has been officially proclaimed. The total population is 1,651,652, which is a gain over 1870 of 194,391. The population of New York, as shown by the state census just taken, foots up 4,015,604, a gain of 432,845 since 1870. Michigan shows a gain of 149,972. Minnesota (four counties estimated) 134,159. The state census of Louisiana shows a population of 837,039, a gain over 1870 of 130,121.

AT $5 apiece $500 will buy just 100 votes for the Deputy-Bailiff-Court-House party.—*Tribune.*

Your arithmetic is correct, and your lunacy established.

But will not 100 honest men who intended to vote for Wood, now vote for Park on account of this corrupt proceeding?—*Tribune*

So you propose to sell as 100 voters at $5 apiece, and want the Republican party to furnish 100 honest men beside to vote for Park. Strange, that the party of honesty and reform should become alarmed lest the Republican Central Committee should buy up their voters at $5 apiece. We did not suppose we could buy the voters of the *honesty* party at $5 apiece. You will have to raise a larger fund than $500 to buy 100 Republican votes.

IT is anticipated that Washington will be the scene of stirring political movements soon after the 15th of November, that being the date of Fernando Wood's occupancy of his hospitable mansion at the Capital. The arrival of this crafty wire-puller will be the signal for active operations by all the aspirants to the Speakership of the Democratic Congress. Fernando declares his intention to make the fight a hot one; Kerr, of Indiana, relies upon a coalition with the Tilden men, basing his expectations upon the theory that New York cannot urge candidates for both the Presidency and the Speakership at one time; Sam Randall is still hopeful, though not so confident as he was two months ago, while ex-Gov. Walker, of West Virginia, is mentioned as likely to figure conspicuously as the favorite of the *eastern members*, and as a candidate who stands in nobody's light for the Presidency.

THE ravings of the lunatic that presides over the columns of the *Tribune* are heart-rending. The agony of Park over his coming defeat is nothing compared to the sufferings of this poor fellow.


**A New Lot of Cloaks** just received, at Einstein's. [26-d6t


## TWEED'S FAITHFUL WIFE.

New York Cor. Cincinnati Gazette.

It is strange to think in what is now the centre of this great city there was once a natural pond, in the surface fifteen acres and in some places fifty feet deep. Sixty years ago this pond was filled up, but the basin is indicated by the fact that you descend in approaching it in any direction. In such a spot stands the prison, its bottom always damp, and overrun with rats, its atmosphere heavy and poisonous. Here have been held the most noted criminals this city has ever contained, the last one of note being Boss Tweed. He spent a few days here before going to Blackwell's Island, but since his return from the latter he has been held in Ludlow street jail. The ex-boss has had a varied experience in prison life.

They were married when the man was a chairmaker, and they might have had a happy career had the former remained honest. They lived in a plain manner, mingled with mechanics' society, and were the parents of two boys and two girls, good looking and healthy children. The era of meretricious splendor has come and gone like a dream. The girls are married. Each had a diamond wedding, and each sunk into obscurity and poverty. The two sons once held fine appointments in the service of the ring, but they are now only lounging around the city hall. The ill-gotten wealth is almost all gone. A million and a half has passed into the hands of her lawyers, and her husband is still a prisoner. A seedy and corpulent old man inhabiting a pair of rooms in Ludlow street jail is all that is left of one who has been alderman, congressman, chairmaker, and lawyer, commissioner of parks, public buildings and docks, state senator, and for seven years the autocrat of this city. The only redeeming feature is the faithful wife, who is reducing herself to poverty in hope of obtaining her husband's release.

## A HUNDRED YEARS AGO.

From the Baltimore American.

One hundred and ten years ago there was not a single white man in what is now Kentucky, Ohio, Indiana and Illinois. Then what is now the most flourishing part of the United States, was as little known as the country in the heart of Africa itself. It was not till 1776 that Boone left his home in North Carolina to become the first settler in Kentucky. And the first pioneers in Ohio did not settle till twenty years latter still. A hundred years ago Canada belonged to France, and Washington was a modest Virginia colonel, and the United States was a loyal part of the British Empire, and scarcely a speck on the political horizon indicated the struggle that in a few years was to lay the foundation of the greatest Republic in the world.

A hundred years ago there were but four small papers in America; steam engines had not been imagined, and locomotives, and steamboats, and railroads, and telegraphs, and postal cards, friction matches, percussion caps, and breech loading guns, and stoves, and furnaces, and gas for dwellings, and India rubber shoes, and Spauldings glue, and sewing machines, and anthracite coal, and photographs, and chromo-printing, and kerosene oil, and the safety lamp, and the compound blow-pipe, and free schools, and spring mattresses, and wood engravings, and Brussels carpets, and lever watches, and greenbacks, and cotton and woolen factories, in anything like the present meaning of these terms, were utterly unknown.

A hundred years ago the spinning wheel was in almost every family, and clothing was spun and woven and made up in the household; and the printing press was a cumbrous machine worked by hand, and a nail, or a brick, or a knife or a pair of scissors or shears, or a razor, or a woven pair of stockings, or an ax, or a hoe, or a shovel, or a lock, or a key, or a plate of glass of any size, was not made in what is now the United States. Even in 1790 there were only seventy five post offices in the country, and the whole extent of our post office routes was less than nineteen hundred miles. Cheap postage was unheard of, and had anyone suggested the transmission of messages with lightning speed, he would have been regarded utterly insane.

The microscope in one hand and the telescope in the other, were in their infancy used as instruments of science; and geology and chemistry were almost unknown. In a word, it is true that to the century past has been allotted more improvements, in their bearing upon the comfort and happiness of mankind, than to any other which has elapsed since the creation of the world.

YANKEE shrewdness. Two Nashua (N. H.) merchants were recently running each other on stockings. The first trader marked down the specimens at his door, and after his rival had passed and noted the change, resumed the former prices. The trick was repeated, every morning for a week or more, until the second trader was selling stockings which cost at wholesale 25 cents for 5 cents. This was the first trader's opportunity. He engaged the services of several gals and boys, and before the second trader was aware of the fact his whole stock of stockings had been transferred to the counter of his rival at 5 cents per pair, and were being sold by him as "a bankrupt lot—at a great sacrifice"—and yet at a splendid profit.

## TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'Clock, P. M.

[Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.]

## The Reaction at Virginia City.

## STORIES OF SHIPWRECK AND ACCIDENT.

## The Cattle Disease in England

## DESTRUCTIVE FIRE AT SALT LAKE.

*Bankruptcy Items.*

ANOTHER FAST MAIL TRAIN.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 28.—A dispatch from Virginia City says matters are much more cheerful. Women are doing noble work in relieving distress. The record vault of the court house is being dug out of the ruins, the Bank of California is being cleared away, besides a number of firms have resumed business. Liabilities as far as ascertained are about $1,500,000. Prisoners held for petty offenses were set free, and others removed to Carson and Gold Hill.

At a meeting of lawyers held to-day to make such arrangements as the necessities of the case demand, a committee was appointed to call a meeting of the county next Thursday, to consult with regard to reconstructing the county buildings, and to petition for an extra session of the Legislature to provide for cases arising from the destruction of records and municipal institutions.

A light fall of snow about noon and more is threatening.

The work of obtaining and forwarding relief to Virginia City has been going on vigorously to-day. Several thousand dollars have been collected, citizens and corporations, especially mining companies, responding liberally. Donations of clothing, blankets and other necessaries were also forwarded. The favorable reports of the condition of the mines received to-day, have created a much more hopeful feeling in business circles.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 28.—Private dispatches convey the information that the mines are all right. Men have been through from the Gould and Curry to the Ophir. No fire in the workings, no damage done and the water decreasing. The damage to Ophir shaft is limited to a few feet at the top. Consolidated Virginia evidently feels the effect of the news, having just gone up to 245 and 250 in the Board, against 232½ in open session.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 28.—The Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company submitted to the Postoffice Department to-day a schedule which is approved, providing for two lightning mail trains daily, instead of one as heretofore contemplated, between Baltimore and Washington and Chicago. Service to begin next Monday and will shorten the present schedule one day's time for all points West.

CHICAGO, Oct. 28.—The schooner Minnie Williams, laden with coal, bound from Cleveland to Chicago, is believed to have been lost. Telegrams received here to day state that the body of her captain, P. A. Barry, and also the body of one of her crew, washed ashore near Pentwater, Mich., to-day. Papers belonging to the vessel were found on the person of Capt. Barry. She carried a crew of eight men, was worth about $12,000 and was insured for $11,000.

CHICAGO, Oct. 28.—Pat Martin, accused of the murder of Galena, Monday night, had a preliminary examination to-day, and was committed without bail.

NEW YORK, Oct 28.—During a display of fireworks in front of Tammany Hall this evening, a bomb exploded in the midst of a group. Police officers and others were badly wounded; officer Warren Harrington in right hip and left knee and it is thought his leg will have to be amputated; officer Sevecole was burned about the head and face; he will lose his eyesight. Six other officers were more or less severely injured.

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—The creditors of Disusoway & Hath, and Solomon & Marl, leather dealers, and Cuthbert & Co, rectifiers of whisky, met yesterday to consider the financial condition of the several firms. The first offered forty cents on the dollar, and the second forty cents, but the creditors insist upon fifty. Cuthbert & Co. offer forty cents also. The propositions are under consideration.

BALTIMORE, MD., Oct. 28.—The creditors of Sterling, Ahrens & Co, who failed on the 26th of August, decided, to-day, to put the firm into involuntary bankruptcy.

CONCORD, Oct. 28.—The grand jury has indicted Jos. LaPage for the murder of Josie Langmaid, at Pembroke, Oct. 4th.

LEAVENWORTH, KAN., Oct. 28.—Further investigation in the case of a lady found dead in the river in this place, has developed nothing new regarding the manner in she which came to her death. It has been ascertained that her trunk was checked from Wamego, Kansas, to Leavenworth, on Oct. 7th, but when she arrived here is not known.

A pass on the K. P. R. R., from Wamego to Kansas City, signed by Long, proprietor of the Leland Hotel, Kansas City, was also found in her trunk, together with other letters, showing that she had been a housekeeper at some time in the Broadway House, Chicago, and in the Leland Hotel, Kansas City. The case is still being worked up.

MUSKOGEE, I. T., Oct. 28.—A paper to be called the Indian *Herald*, is to be issued here by the Indian Inter-National Printing Company, in a few days. The president of this company is Col. Wm. P. Ross, chief of the Cherokee nation. The paper is to be supported by these tribes, and will represent the Indian side of all questions and matters affecting this territory. It is understood that M. P. Roberts, formerly of the Chicago *Inter-Ocean*, but for some time past a resident here, will be editor of the paper. He is now east, purchasing presses and printing material.

BOSTON, Oct. 28.—James Griffin and John Lovell, laborers, were killed yesterday at Brighton, by the fall of a gravel bank. William McDonald, their companion, was seriously injured at the same time.

BROWNSVILLE, TEXAS, Oct. 28.—The schooner Ida Lewis, of New York, Houston, master, while crossing Bruzos de Santiago, a bar was struck and will probably prove a total loss. She had a cargo of hides and wool for New York.

ST LOUIS, Oct. 28.—D. R. Fogg, who shot his sweetheart yesterday, and then stabbed himself, died last night.

LONDON, Oct. 28.—Raffael Bros., merchants of this city, have failed. Their liabilities are $300,000.

The *Farmers' Newspaper*, in an article on the cattle disease, says there were, throughout England and Wales, for some time, 500,000 cases. The money damage is estimated at $1,000,000.


**V. Barber & Co.** have just placed upon their shelves a fresh invoice of boots and shoes, embracing all kinds and sizes, in the very latest fall styles. They are determined not to be outdone in the completeness of their stock, or undersold in price, or which facts they will give a practical demonstration to everybody who will examine their goods.

**Wall Brackets,** of various styles, at J. S. Hand & Co.'s.

**Prince Albert Coats and Vests,** the latest novelties in patterns, made up not to be excelled in merchant tailoring, in stock, at bottom prices, at B. Stine's. Oct. 4-d1m

**Sylvester Brothers,** Staple and Fancy Grocers, 49 North Water street. [24-d1f

**Children's Clothing,** Just received today by express, all sizes, from three years old and upwards, in large varieties, at B. STINE'S.

The above goods are warranted to fit, and in *workmanship* cannot be excelled. oct. 23-d1f

**200 Second-hand Stoves,** for sale cheap, at Ashby's, opera block d1f

**Towel Racks,** of beautiful design, at J. S. Hand & Co.'s.


## ASSIGNEE'S SALE
—OF—
## REAL ESTATE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the undersigned, assignee in bankruptcy of Franklin Priest, bankrupt, will, on the 27th day of November, A. D. 1875, between the hours of nine o'clock a. m., and four o'clock p. m. of said day, at the west door of the Court House, in the city of Decatur, county of Macon and State of Illinois, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, all the right, title and interest of the said Franklin Priest in and to the following described real estate, to-wit: The south half of lot nine (9) and lot ten (10), in block one (1), in Central Addition to the town (now city) of Decatur; also lots eight (8) and nine (9), in block six (6), in Smith & Co's Addition to Decatur; also lots two (2) and three (3), in Block "D," in the village of Oakley; also the north half of the east half of the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section eighteen (18), in township sixteen (16) north, range two (2) east of the third principal meridian—all the above described real estate being in the county of Macon and State of Illinois. Also lot three (3), in block seven (7), in the town of Atlanta, in the county of Logan, in said State of Illinois.

M. F. KANAN,
Oct 26 d3w Assignee in Bankruptcy.

## SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF ONE EXECUTION TO me directed and delivered by the clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Martin P. Murphey and against John W. Barton and Robert Timmons, I have levied on the several following described lots or parcels of land, all being in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: Lot five (5), in the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section thirty-three (33), in township fifteen (15) north, and range two (2) east of the third principal meridian;

Also a strip of land six (6) feet wide, front and rear, commencing eighteen (18) feet from the north side of lot five (5), in block thirteen (13), in railroad addition to Macon, and running back to the alley;

And six (6) feet off the north side of lot four (4), and eleven (11) feet off the south side of lot five (5), all being in block thirteen (13), in Railroad Addition to the town of Macon;

And fourteen (14) feet off the north side of the south half of lot five (5), in block thirteen (13), and a strip one (1) foot wide off the south side of the north half of lot five (5), in same block, all being in Railroad Addition to the town of Macon;

And lots nine (9) and ten (10), in block nine (9), as described in the recorded plat of the town of Macon;

And the piece of land lying in Railroad Addition to the town of Macon, and particularly described in the recorded plat of said town as the north half of lot three (3), in block thirteen (13), all taken as property of the said Robert Timmons, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the Court House, in Macon county, in said State, on the 13th day of November, A. D. 1875, at the hour of 1 o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 26th day of October A. D. 1875.
ISAAC D. JENNINGS,
Oct. 21-w3w Sheriff Macon County.

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## *New Advertisements.*


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The Last Season in this country for several years.

## CAMILLA URSO

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Celebrated Classical Violiniste,

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## GRAND CONCERT,

Assisted by the following Artists:

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MISS CLARA POOLE, Contralto;
MR. I. C. BARTLETT, Tenor;
MR. GASTON GOTTSCHALK, Basso;
MR. AUGUSTE SAURET, Pianist.

ADMISSION, ..... 75 cents
GALLERY, ..... 50

*No Extra Charge for Reserved Seats.*

Seats can be secured at W. R. Abbott's Jewelry store.

Doors open at 7. Commences at 8 o'clock. Oct. 20-d5t

## OPERA HOUSE.

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Friday and Saturday, Oct. 29-30.

MATINEE:
Saturday Afternoon, at two O'clock.

The Most Beautiful and Exciting Play ever witnessed in the world, entitled the

## TWO ORPHANS!

Originally produced in America, and played 180 times at

UNION SQUARE THEATRE,
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And forty-eight consecutive nights at

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And will be produced in this city on above date, with

*Elaborate Scenic Effects,*
*The Original Music,*
*Elegant Costumes,*

—AND A—

**Powerful Cast of Characters.**

Chevalier Maurice De Vaudrey, —Mr. Frank E. Aiken
Jacques Prochard, an outlaw, —Mr. Richard White
Pierre Frochard, the cripple, his brother, —Mr James Rohde
Count De Linieres, Minister of Police, —Mr. Charles Thompson
Picard, valet to the Chevalier, —Mr. Flint Remmett
Marquis De Presles, —Mr. Walter James
Doctor of the Hospital St. Louis and Salpetriere, —Mr. Dan Leone
Officer of the Guard, —Mr. J. H. Brown
Lafleur, in the service of the Marquis De Presles, —Mr. Wm. Ross
Martin, d'Arzon of Paris —Mr Geo W Smith
De Malicy, —Mr J. E. Thompson
Antoine, —Mr. J. W. Mortimer
Countess Diane De Linieres, —Miss Virginia Richmond
Louise, } The Two } Miss Flora Baker
Henriette, } Orphans } Miss Genevieve Howland
Sister Genevieve, Matron of La Salpetriere, —Miss Kitty Morant
La Frochard, mother of Pierre and Jacques, —Miss Mary Wallack
Marianne, an outcast, —Miss Tillie McHenry
Julie, —Miss Josie Leone
Agnes, —Miss Minnie Winters
Florette, —Miss Belle Barney
Sister Therese, —Agnes Konricott
Soldiers, Guards, Ladies and Gentlemen, Prisoners, Nuns, &c.

*Reserved Seats,* - - - $1.00
*Admission,* - - - - - .75

Sale of Seats commences at 9 a. m., Wednesday, Oct. 27th, at Abbott's jewelry store. [oct26-d1f


## SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF ONE EXECUTION TO me directed and delivered by the clerk of the Circuit Court of Montlieo county, Illinois, in favor of Elijah Dennis and against Alfred Dennis, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit:

Seventy-six (76) feet front of the west side of lot two (2), in William Martin's Addition to the city of Decatur, in Macon county, Illinois, running one hundred and seventy-seven (177) feet back from Wood street.

Taken as property of the said Alfred Dennis, which I shall offer at public sale, at the west door of the Courthouse, in Macon county, in said state, on the 20th day of November, A. D. 1875, at the hour of one o'clock, P. M., of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

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Oct. 28-d3w Sheriff Macon county.

## CHANCERY NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO FRANK Curtis that Mary Ann Curtis has filed her bill of complaint in chancery in the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, as complainant, against him as defendant; that said cause is now pending in said court, and that summons has been issued against the said defendant, returnable into said court at the Court House at Decatur, in said county, on the

*First Monday in December next,*

when and where, unless said Frank Curtis shall appear and defend, said bill will be taken as confessed against him.

EDMISTON McCLELLAN,
Clerk Circuit Court, Macon county, Ill.
NELSON & ROBY, Solicitors for Compl't
Decatur, Ill., Oct. 18, 1875. [19-d4w

## CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Macon County Circuit Court to the September Term, A. D. 1875.

IRA HARRIS, Jr., vs. JAS. H. FERGUSON

BILL TO FORECLOSE MORTGAGE.

AFFIDAVIT that James H. Ferguson defendant, above-named,—has gone out of the State of Illinois,—having been filed in the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, notice is hereby given to the said James H. Ferguson, that the complainant heretofore filed his bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendant, returnable to the Court House, in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the first Monday of December, A. D. 1875, as is required by law.

Now, unless you, the said James H. Ferguson, shall personally be and appear before said Circuit Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden in Decatur, in said county, on the

*First Monday of December,* A. D. 1875,

and plead, answer or demur to the said complainants bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein charged and stated, will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk,
W. C. JOHNS, Solicitor for Compl't
Decatur, Oct 21, 1875—d4w

## Executors' Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the undersigned, Executors of the estate of Lewis Brown, deceased, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 15th day of November, A. D. 1875, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the estate of said deceased, at which time all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

JAMES V. BROWN,
AUGUSTUS BREENSTREIT,
Sept. 30, 1875—w6w Executors.


**FLORIDA.** *The Florida Agriculturist* Weekly, $3 a year. Send for specimen. WALTON & Co., Jacksonville, Florida. Say where you saw this.

# NEW GOODS

—AT THE—

# CHEAP CASH DRY GOODS HOUSE

# Hays & Bruce

Invite special attention to fresh arrivals of the

LATEST FALL STYLES

—IN—

# DRESS GOODS!

In all the New and Fashionable Fabrics and Shades, at low prices.

**Imported and Domestic Shawls, Imported Beaver Cloth Cloaks, New Cloths and Cassimers,**

For men and boys, Plain, Plaid and Striped WATER-PROOFS, all grades, complete assortment of Ladies', Children's and Mens' UNDERWEAR, in different weights and sizes, full lines of Ladies' and Children's Cashmere, Merino, Wool and Cotton Hosiery, plain, and Balmoral Yarns and Felt Skirts.

## OUR DOMESTIC DEPARTMENT

Is "chock" full of all kinds of Domestic Goods, all prices, Plain and Plaid Flannels, New Fringes, New Trimmings, large stock of Yak Laces, Collars, Cuffs, Ruches and Ruching, Kid Gauntlets, Kid Gloves, Table Oil Cloths, Curtain Holands, Nottingham Lace Curtains, Valences and Lambrequins, New Quilts, Towels, Table Cloths—in fact, as large and complete a stock of Dry Goods as was ever shown in the city—*all marked in plain figures*, and ONE PRICE TO EVERYBODY.

Sept. 29, 1875-dawtf.

# FALL AND WINTER GOODS!

# S. EINSTEIN

Has now on hand his full stock of

## Fall and Winter Goods,

Which consists of a full line of choice

*Dress Goods, Silks, Cashmeres, Japanese Poplins and White Goods, Table Linens, Napkins, Towels.*

Also, a full line of

*CASSIMERES, JEANS, TWEEDS, DENIMS*

A complete assortment of

*BLEACHED and BROWN DOMESTICS.*

A full line of

*Notions, Ladies' and Gent's Furnishing Goods, Shawls and Wrapping Goods,*

All of which will be sold at bottom figures.

☞ We specify no prices, but invite all to call and see for themselves that what we say we mean. We will not be undersold by any house in the city.

*DON'T FORGET THE PLACE:*

NO. 21 NORTH WATER STREET

Sept. 29, 1875—dawtf.

# KEYSTONE CARRIAGE WORKS!

# WAYNE BROTHERS,

MANUFACTURERS OF

## CARRIAGES, BUGGIES, OMNIBUSES,

PEDDLING AND SPRING WAGONS.

*OLD STAND OF DANIEL GARMAN,*

**Corner Water and Cerro Gordo-Sts.**

PLATFORM CARRIAGES built to order, PONY PHAETONS, PRINCE ALBERTS, PIANO and COAL BOX BUGGIES, SULKY and LIGHT ROAD WAGONS, of all kinds. Always up to the times, and guaranteed all work to be first-class. All kinds of

**Sleighs Made to Order!**

☞ FANCY PAINTING A SPECIALTY. ☜

November 17, 1873. d6w-3m.

# A NEW FIRM

M. MUELLER. F. A. KOENEMEYER

## H. MUELLER & CO.,

(Successors to H. MUELLER.)

PLUMBERS,

STEAM & GAS FITTERS,

And Dealers in

*Iron and Lead Pipe, Steam and Gas Fittings and Fixtures, Rubber Hose, Pumps, &c., &c.*



Also keep constantly on hand a complete stock of

*Guns, Pistols, Powder, Shot, Lead Caps, Wads, &c., Tackle, &c.*

Which will be sold exchange for cash. Game can be bought in Central Illinois. All kinds of

*MACHINE WORK AND GUN-SMITHING*

Done in a neat and workmanlike manner

H. MUELLER & CO.

April 2, 1874 d1y

# SOMETHING NEW!

## F. HEINLA,

PRACTICAL

## ORGAN BUILDER!

Has opened a shop, on the northeast corner of E. Main and Franklin streets, where he is prepared to build

**Parlor and Church Organs**

OF ALL GRADES.

Also, to do all kinds of

**Organ Repairing**

At reasonable rates.

☞ Best of references given, if required

DECATUR, Ill., Sept. 29, 1875—d1mo


## CHANCERY NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO RUFUS E. Holmes, that Benjamin F. Taylor, complainant, has filed his bill of complaint in chancery against him, the said Rufus E. Holmes, big headed with James M. Taylor, Hannah A. Taylor (his wife), Ann Rose, Thomas M. Taylor, Theoda D. Taylor (his wife), William O. Taylor, Laura L. Taylor, (his wife), Amanda Jennie Taylor, Johnston McClellan, her guardian, Joseph E. Bosworth and Henry C. Wilson, defendants, in the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, and that summons has been issued thereon, returnable into said court, where said cause is now pending, on the first day of the next term thereof, to be held at the Court House in the city of Decatur, said county and State, on the

*First Monday of December, A. D. 1875,*

when and where, unless he, the said Rufus E. Holmes, shall appear and plead, answer or demur to said bill, the same will be taken as confessed against him.

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Clerk of Circuit Court of Macon county, Ill.
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Decatur, Ill., Oct. 25, 1875—d4w


**Wagons at Auction.**—On Thursday next Minckley & Dodson will sell at auction at the corner of Water and Main streets, two nice spring wagons, entirely new. Also, horses and buggies at the same time and place.

They will also sell about fifty ponies, at Mason's livery stable, West Main street.

**Stoy & Bishop** have an immense stock of choice brooms, which they sell single, or by the dozen, at 25c.


**Another Horse Stolen.**—On Saturday night a fine horse was stolen from the place of Mr. F. B. Turner, living about three miles north of Oreana. It is said that all the horse-thieves in this county have not been captured yet.

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# The Daily Republican.

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*Friday Evening, Oct.*

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Local Notices will be inserted at Ten cents per line for the first insertion, and five cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Yearly or time advertisements will be furnished upon application at the office.

*TO DAILY SUBSCRIBERS.*

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

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..Go to Niedermeyer's for sugars and syrups.

..Roof timbers are being put on the new Universalist church to-day, and the building will soon be fully under cover.

..Choice Michigan apples, celeries, and fresh oysters, at E. B. Son's.

..We understand that Rev. Mr. Taylor, who is to preach in the Baptist church next Sabbath, is a preacher of considerable ability. He will doubtless have a good congregation to preach to.

..For a hack to the depot order of Taylor's, at Armstrong's.

..The Champaign papers report that whisky trade likely in that county. We suggest that, as the season for frosts is over, the article is in demand for rheumatism; ditto in Decatur.

..Choice Michigan apples, at Imboden & Hammer's.

..Mrs. Moody's Abdominal Supporter, Hip-fitting, Jacqueline and Mme. Foy's Corsets—a large stock always on hand, at Gorham's. 27-d4w1

..On yesterday a pet dog belonging to a family living in the southwestern part of the city showed signs of hydrophobia. He was placed in close confinement as a security against doing any damage.

..Armstrong keeps the best groceries in the market.

..I love to wander by the deep blue sea,
And hear the breakers roar,
But the happiest moments of my life
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..The counters and shelving being put into S. M. Strally's new dry goods room on East Main street. When completed, this will be one of the most commodious and well-finished stores in town. Mr. S. expects to take possession of his new quarters about the first of November.

..For a square meal with all the trimmings, go to Ansback & Cassell's.

..We learn from Champaign that epizootic is alarmingly prevalent in that city and surrounding country. Though there are several cases of the disease in this city, we do not understand that it is on the increase. At the same papers we learn that horse thieves are doing a lively business in that region.

..For staple groceries and produce go to D. M. Barnett & Co.'s.

..The wheat crop of this county proves to be a more complete failure than was at first supposed. Upon closer examination it is found that scarcely any will be fit to make merchantable flour, which makes it necessary for our millers to send abroad for their wheat. The scarcity of money among farmers is owing largely to the fact that they are having no wheat to sell, which will be relieved as soon as the wheat comes into the market.

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Shades, at low prices.

Shawls, ...th Cloaks, ...d Cassimeres,

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## A CARD.

*To Mr. Monopolist Editor:*

Our organ, the *Tribune*, charges that we can be bought for the insignificant sum of five dollars. Now, that is too cheap! We held a meeting last night, and decided that we could *not* take it. The times are hard, and it will be a long time before another election, therefore we propose to charge seven dollars and thirty-five cents for our votes, or one calico dress for the old woman, at gold prices; if paid in corn, we will charge a whole load; in paper money, twenty-two dollars and sixteen cents, but under no circumstances will we take pay in potatoes; in gold and silver, eleven dollars and twenty-five cents; if we are *compelled* to take our pay in whisky, three pints. Grasshoppers having no fixed value, we decline to speak of them. Away with your five dollars, Mr. Park! Give it to your competent clerks! You *cannot* buy *us* so cheap!

FARMER COLTRIN, Sec'y.

**Religious Notice.**—Rev. A. D. White, of Springfield, O., will preach at the Baptist Church next Sabbath, morning and evening. The public are invited.

**Thrown from a Wagon.**—On Wednesday evening a man who was well under the influence of bad whisky started from the old square in his wagon to go home. *His son* was with him, driving the horse, and leading another behind. As they turned west, on Wood street, at Imboden's corner, the old gentleman swayed so far to one side of the vehicle that he rolled out upon the ground. Persons who saw him fall gathered about and raised him up, when he seemed to be insensible. A physician was called, who, upon close examination, could discover no injuries except a few slight scratches upon the face, his insensible condition being probably attributable to the amount of benzine he had in him. He was placed in his wagon and was driven home, and we presume a good night's sleep recovered him from his comatose state.

**Fancy Articles**, worth $2.00, sold at Goldburg's for 99 cents. 29-d4w1

***For Sale.***—9 65-100 acres, one and one half miles northwest of the city. Improvements: One and a half story frame house of 5 rooms, good well and cistern, and 75 bearing apple trees; cheap, and on *favorable terms.* Apply to

WARREN & DURFEE.

300 acres, all under fence—250 acres plow land, balance timber, with living water; two-story house, 7 rooms; new barn, 36 by 40, and other first-class improvements. A splendid stock farm, at the low price of $45 per acre.

100 acre farm in Wheatland township, all under cultivation, all dry land, cheap at $40 per acre.

WARREN & DURFEE, Agents.

**You can save** in your general purchases from 10 to 20 per cent. by buying your goods of Linn & Scruggs'
oct 7-d&wtf

**The Hoffman Trial.**—Rev. J. P. Dimmitt, Presiding Elder of the Quincy district, is arranging for the early trial of Rev. H. O. Hoffman, of Quincy, charged with serious offenses which need not be characterized. The Ecclesiastical Court before whom the case will be tried is composed of Revs. M. D Hawes, of Springfield; W. N. McElroy, of Champaign; Robert Clark, of Winchester; George Stevens, of Jacksonville; J. A. Kumler, of Saybrook; J. T. Orr, of Hillsboro, and Curtis Powell, of Chatham; and the trial is set for the 9th of November, Elder J. P. Dimmitt to preside. Rev. Peter Wallace and others will conduct the prosecution, and Rev. Dr. Davies, of the Mattoon district, has been retained for the defense, and, it is said, is to be assisted by Hon. Charles B. Steele, of Charleston.

### NOTICE!

Great bargains will be offered on Saturday in prints, domestics, and staple dry goods, at S. EINSTEIN'S.

**A New Enterprise.**—We understand that there are parties in town prospecting with reference to starting a steam bakery here. The project is doubtless a feasible one, and would pay a good profit on money invested, besides giving employment to twenty or thirty hands. We hope our people will give every necessary encouragement to those who have the matter under advisement.

**"Two Orphans"**—the story—for sale at J. S. Hand & Co.'s. 27-3d

**The tide** is setting towards the auction house of Minckley & Dodson, on Merchant street. The splendid bargains given there attract the multitude. Everything in the line of gents' furnishing goods cheaper than they were ever sold before. The variety of their stock is almost endless, and the quantity is simply immense.

## MARRIED.

On Oct. 28th, 1875, at the residence of the bride's mother, by Rev. Horace Reed, MR. GEORGE R. BRETT to MISS NELLIE E. IMBODEN, all of this city.

Like good sensible folks, which they are, the happy couple propose to settle right down to house-keeping and enjoy the light of the honeymoon in their own home. The REPUBLICAN office was remembered with a generous supply of delicious cake. May the fondest hopes of these nice young people be realized in a long and happy life.

**Married.**—At the European Hotel, in this city, by E. Hughes, Esq., on Thursday, the 28th inst., MR. ASA D. WRIGHT and MISS MARY LOVELESS, both of Bement.

**Einstein** is selling Dry Goods cheaper than ever. [26-d6t

## THE FIRE DEPARTMENT MEETING LAST NIGHT.

The meeting of the fire department last night was presided over by 1st Assistant Engineer Provost. J. J. Cloyd was selected as Secretary.

The following preamble and resolutions were adopted:

WHEREAS, The fire department of the city of Decatur was organized in June, 1872, by Assistant Howes and Christie, who, representing the city council of that year, procured signatures of gentlemen to the different companies, on the understanding that said department was to be a volunteer one, having the privilege of electing its own department and company officers; and

WHEREAS, The city ordinances regulating the fire department failed to state who shall select the chief and assistant engineers; and

WHEREAS, Annually since the date of its organization this department has selected said officers of the department for the ensuing year, and the selections there made has ever given satisfaction to the members of the fire department, as well as the property owners of our city, and under the management and direction of the officers so selected, the department has been eminently successful in the discharge of these duties for which it was organized, and now stand unequalled for service and discipline by any volunteer department in the country; and

WHEREAS, the city council of Decatur has seen fit, by retaliation, to remove Harl P. Christie from the position of chief engineer, without preferring any charges against him of any violation of law, or without granting the investigation of the causes of his removal here, which, in our estimation, is an infringement on the fire department; therefore be it

*Resolved*, By the fire department of the city of Decatur, that this peremptory and unprecedented action on the part of the city council is unwarranted by any act of the fire department or its chiefs, so far as we know; and

*Resolved*, That H. P. Christie, as assistant, and as chief engineer, during three years and a half past, has, in our opinion, performed every duty as such officer in a gentlemanly and thorough manner; that his time and energies has been *largely spent in* the organization, control and discipline of the department; that to him, if not more than to any other man, the organization owes its remarkable efficiency; therefore be it

*Resolved*, That under all circumstances in addressing your honorable body as volunteer firemen, and not serving for pay, but for the good of the city, request that Harl P. Christie be reinstated to the office of chief engineer of the fire department of the city of Decatur, and that no personal feeling or animosity *may enter your action.*

*Resolved*, That these resolutions be published in the city papers and that a copy be presented to the city council.

W. W. MASON.

**The Regular Monthly Meeting** of the Savings Fund, Building & Loan Association took place last evening in the court house. The following statement shows the amounts loaned and premiums paid.

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| $200 | at 32½ | per cent. |
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| 200 | " 28½ | " " |

Total loaned, $2500; premiums $754.50.

**The Expense** of conducting Linn & Scruggs' business requires a smaller per centage on amount of sales than any dry goods house in the United States.
oct 7-d&wtf

**Police Record.** — William Brown, a man from the country, got gloriously drunk last evening, and paid Justice Hughes about $5 for the privilege.

**A Perfect Gem** of convenience and economy is the "Revolution," soft coal base-burner, sold by R. C. Crocker. All who have tested them are loud in their praise, and at once recommend them to others. The "Revolution" is one of the few things that cannot be too highly recommended.

**Magnificent** bureaus at Stoy & Bishops. Selling cheap.

**Ham & Cunningham** have just received another carload of the Fish Bro. wagons. They are going off at the rate of two and three a day. Call soon, or you will be too late. [29-d1 w3t

**Signor Blitz** will be on hand on Monday with his immense show, to open up on Monday night. Don't forget that $150 worth of valuable presents are given away each night.

**Ashby** has some splendid heating stoves for sale cheap.

**A Brisk Walk.**—Yesterday afternoon John Moroney started from the city at about 2 o'clock to go to La Place, a distance of about 15 miles, to visit his family. He made the trip, and arrived back in the city at 10 o'clock in the evening, saying that he had made his folks a pleasant visit. This gave him a walk of 30 miles in eight hours, besides visiting his family in the time.

**Everything** that is new and desirable in Pompadours, Panniers and Bustles, at Linn & Scruggs'.
oct 7-dtf

**Wake Up!** to the fact that L. L. Ferriss has the most *complete* facilities for suiting you in every whim in the boot and shoe line. All the goods the store will hold. Boots and shoes to measure—*to suit your feet.* The best stock of boots and shoes west of Longitude 74. Sept. 59-dtf

**Berlin Zephyr**, Canvas Slipper Patterns, and lots of fancy goods, sold very cheap, at GOLDBURG'S.
27-d4w1

**Genuine Seal Skin Furs**, in muffs, boas and sacques; also Mink Furs, in great variety and cheap, at
oct 7-d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS'.

**Pike, the Jeweler,** keeps the best Spectacles in the city, and sells them at a reasonable price. [sept 1-d1m

## PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. Dr. R. N. Mills boarded the westward bound train to-day noon.

Mrs. Frank Jack came in on the noon train from the east, having spent several weeks in Pennsylvania, visiting friends.

Mr. W. G. Smith, agent for the Camilla Urso troupe, called at our office to-day, on business relating to the appearance of his company here on Wednesday evening next. Mr. S. is an exceedingly pleasant gentleman, and represents one of the best companies traveling.

Rev. J. F. Stout, the newly appointed pastor at Pittsfield, Ills., has, with his new bride, been visiting his brother-in-law, Rev. Mr. Best, of Stapp's Chapel. They were married at Evanston on Wednesday evening, and leave here for their new home to-night.

***Embroideries** and Hamburg Edgings,* cheaper at Goldburg's than at any other place. 27-d4w1

***If every one*** will go into Curtis & Righter's and examine their prices they will find it to be to their interest to buy their watches, clocks, jewelry and spectacles of them. They have the largest and most complete stock in the city, and are the sole agents for the justly celebrated Crystal Spectacles. Give them a trial.

**Ladies' Furnishing Goods** will be sold very cheap, at S. EINSTEIN'S.
26-d6t

### A CARD.

CHICAGO, ILL., Oct. 25, 1875.

*To the citizens of Decatur:*

It having come to our knowledge that certain interested parties are circulating reports that we have taken the sale of our pianos away from Messrs. P. T. Locke & Co., we wish to pronounce all such statements false, as our relations with them have been and are now of the most friendly character. Two of the pianos which we had on consignment with Messrs Locke & Co., were obtained from them, and were being taken off out of the State in what we considered a very suspicious way, and with the aid of Locke & Co. we replevied these two pianos, and their enemies are trying to *make use of these facts to* injure them in the sale of other instruments. We have very recently sent Messrs. Locke & Co. a new supply of both Chickering and Haines Bros. pianos, selected with great care, from a large lot of new stock just received at our rooms, and those who wish a *first-class piano* should see them. Respectfully,

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**S. Einstein** is still receiving new Calicos, which he sells 20 yards for one dollar. [26-d6t

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Has now ready for fall delivery 200,000 Apple Trees, 10,000 Evergreens, 20,000 Shade Trees; also, hundreds of Cherry, Pear, Peach and Plum Trees, Grape Roots, &c. Order at once. Anything in the nursery line—will set and insure this fall, if wanted. Prices and catalogues on application to

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The Western Coal and Mining Co. are filling orders for any quantity of superior Howlett, Anthracite, Block and Blacksmith Coal, to any part of the city, at lowest prices.

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Six acres of land, adjoining the city on the northeast. It is well adapted for gardening purposes, being in a high state of cultivation; it has 75 fine bearing cherry trees, and is surrounded by a good four-year old hedge. Price low and terms easy. For particulars inquire of A. A. MURRAY.
Oct. 20-d1m

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21-d&wtf

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17 dtf

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## DECATUR MARKET REPORT.

DECATUR, October 29, 1875.

RETAIL.

| | |
|---|---|
| Lard, per pound | 17 |
| Ham, " | 17 |
| Shoulder " | 12½ |
| Pears, per box | 1.50a1.75 |
| Squashes, apiece | [illegible] |
| Green apples, per peck | 40 |
| New Potatoes per peck | 10 |
| Onions, per peck | 30 |
| Beets, per peck | 15 |
| Turnips, per peck | 25 |
| Chickens, per dozen | 2.50a3.00 |
| Sweet Potatoes, per peck | 40 |
| New Cabbage, per head | 5@15 |
| Cider, per gallon | 50 |
| Vinegar, " " | 40 |
| Eggs, " dozen | 25 |
| Butter packed, per pound | 30 |
| " fresh | 30 |
| FLOUR—white wheat, ℔ hundred | 4 25 |
| " red " | 4.00 |
| " superfine, " | 4.75 |
| " middlings " | 1.50 |
| CORN MEAL—℔ bushel | 80 |
| RYE—℔ bushel | 80 |
| CORN—℔ bushel | 45a50 |
| " shelled, per bush | 50 |
| HAY—Timothy, ℔ ton | 12.00 |
| OATS—℔ bushel | [illegible] |

WHOLESALE.

| | |
|---|---|
| WHEAT—Best white, per bushel | 130 |
| " " red, " " | 1.30 |
| CORN—per bushel | 45 |
| OATS— " | 25a30 |
| BUTTER—℔ ℔ | 25 |
| EGGS—per doz | 20 |
| LARD—℔ ℔ | 12½ |
| BACON—Sides | 11½ |
| HAMS—sugar-cured | [illegible] |
| SHOULDERS—per ℔ | 8a10 |
| HOGS—Live, per hundred | 6.50a7.00 |
| CATTLE— " " | 4.50a6.50 |
| SHEEP— " per hun., unwashed | 3.00 |
| " " sheared | 4.50 |
| NEW POTATOES—per bu | 25 |
| PEACHES—Dried, per ℔ | 9 |
| APPLES— " | 8 |
| " Green ℔ bu | 1.25 |
| WOOL—Unwashed, light & medium | 25@27 |
| " " heavy fine | 25@27 |
| " " combing | 25@30 |
| " Fleecewash'd, choice | 40 |
| " " fine & heavy | 30@35 |
| " Tubwashed, choice | 45 |
| " " inferior | 10@12 |
| HIDES—Green, ℔ ℔ | 6 |
| " Salted cured | [illegible] |
| " Calf | 10 |
| " Dry salt | 10 |
| " Dry Flint | 12 |
| [Cut, grubby, scarred or otherwise damaged, two-thirds price, branded, 10 per ct. off.] | |
| SHEARLING PELTS | 15 |
| FEATHERS—Prime, ℔ ℔ | 50@55 |
| " Common, ℔ ℔ | 15@40 |
| TALLOW—Cake | 7 |

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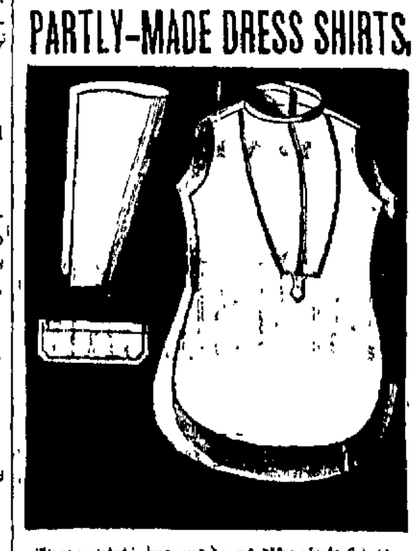
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For the benefit of our patrons and all who are suffering from Liver Complaint or any form of Bilious disease, we give the following statement of the case of one of the oldest and most prominent citizens of Decatur, Mr. Wm. Lintner, of the firm of Wm. Lintner & Co., furniture and pump manufacturers: [illegible]

WM. LINTNER.

NOTICE
—OF—
Stockholders' Meeting.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A [illegible] MONDAY [illegible] DAY OF DECEMBER, A. D. 1875, [illegible]

TUSCOLA, ILL., Sept. 27, 1875.

Executors' Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the undersigned, Executors of the estate of Edmund Wood, deceased, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the county court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, 20th day of December, [illegible]

F. L. WOOD,
SAMUEL WATSON, Executors.
Decatur, Oct 28, 1875—w3w

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Coroner........................................D. Aungst.

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Mayor.............................R. H. Meriwether
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" 2d " ....H B Durfee, W M Boyd
" 3d " ....J. W. Ehrman, B. F. Stephens.
" 4th " ....J W Butman, J L Peake
" 5th " ....R. N. Mills, J. P. Leake
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Collector.................................H. H. Brown
Attorney............................I. A. Buckingham
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Engineer & Sup't Water Works....S Burgess
Supervisor.........................George Dempsey
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Constables } B Churchman, J J H Young J W Carter, J H Mauzy, S Weitzel

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*CHURCHES AND SOCIETIES.*

Presbyterian Church—On Prairie street between Main and Church streets. Rev. Robert Mackenzie, pastor. Regular services at 10½ o'clock, A. M. and 7:30 P. M.; Sabbath school, 2 P. M.

First Methodist Episcopal Church.—Corner of North Water and William Streets, Rev. W. H. Reed, pastor Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 2 P. M.

Stapp's Chapel, (Methodist Episcopal) —Corner of Eldorado and Franklin streets.—Rev. Wm. Stevenson, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 2 P. M. W S Prentiss Presiding Elder.

Baptist Church—Northeast corner of Water and Will streets. Rev. Mr. Bonham pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 9 A. M.

Protestant Episcopal Church—On Water street south of Eldorado street. Rev. W W DeWolfe rector. Services at 10½ A. M and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 2:30 P. M.

United Brethren Church—Cor. Broadway and Eldorado streets, Rev L. Field, pastor, Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 2 P. M.

Christian Church—Corner of North Main and North streets; Rev. N. S. Haynes pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 2 P. M.

German Methodist Episcopal Church—On Eldorado street, between Church and Union streets. Rev. G. J. Keller, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M. Sabbath school at 9 A. M. and 2 P. M.

Universalist Church—On Prairie street west of the new square, Rev. M W Tabor, pastor. Services 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school 9½ A. M.

Catholic Church—Corner of North and Jackson streets. Services by the Rev. Mr. Hickey, every Sabbath, at 8 A. M., early mass; high mass, 10½; vespers at 3½ P. M.

Church of God—On corner of Water and Cerro Gordo streets. Rev. O. V. Kenniston, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school 2 P. M.

German Lutheran Church—Corner of Wood and Edward streets. Rev. Mr. ——, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.

*BENEVOLENT SECRET SOCIETIES.*

O. U. A.

Decatur Council No. 2, O. U. A. M., meets at their hall over Hildebrandt's drug store, every Thursday evening.

MASONIC.

Macon Lodge, No. 8, A. F. & A. M.—Regular meeting, Saturday night, on or preceding full moon every month. E. D. Carter, W. M.; J. S. Carter, Secretary.

Ionic Lodge, No. 312, A. F. & A. M.—Regular meeting, Monday night preceding full moon every month. R. C. Crocker, W. M.; John A. Barnes, Secretary.

Macon Chapter, No. 21.—Regular meeting, Tuesday night, on or preceding full moon every month. A. A. Murray, H. P.; W. H. Wilson, Secretary.

Decatur Council, No. 16.—A. A. Murray, G. M.; I. R. Gorin, P. C. W.; Wm. L. Hammer Recorder. Regular meeting, first Monday of every month.

Beaumanoir Commandery, No. 9.—A. A. Murray, E. C.; J. S. Hand, Recorder. Regular meeting, third Thursday each month.

ODD FELLOWS.

Celestial Lodge, No. 186.—F. O. Richmond, N. G.; Wm. H. Patterson, R. S.; I. W. Earnest, T. Meet every Monday, at Odd Fellows' Hall.

Decatur Encampment, No. 87.—F. O. Richmond, C. P.; Wm. Towling, Scribe. Meets every second and fourth Thursday in each month, at Odd Fellows' Hall.

Decatur Lodge, I. O. O. F., No. 65.—E. O. Tucker, N. G.; E. Hughes, V. G.; John W. Hartley, R. S.; D. M. Robbins, P. S.; George W. Baker, Treasurer. Meets every Tuesday evening at Odd Fellows' Hall.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

Coeur de Leon Lodge, No 17.—Knights of Pythias.—C. M. Durfee, C. C.; W. R. Samuel, K. of R. S.; meets Saturday evening, at their hall, cor. of E. Main and Water sts.

GOOD TEMPLARS.

Decatur Lodge, I. O. of G. T. No. 361.—J. R. Gorin, W. C. T.; Theodore Coleman, W. R. S. Meets every Monday evening in their new hall in Court House building, South Water street.

Ladies' Library Association—Prairie street, Shroeder's new building, second floor. Circulating Library, open every Saturday, from 1 o'clock until 5 o'clock P. M., for exchange of books. Any person may become a life member of the Association by the payment of $25, or an annual member on the payment of $5. And any member shall be entitled to all the privileges of the Association. Mrs. A. A. Powers, President; Mrs. M. K. Hatch, Vice President; Mrs. Chas. P. Thatcher, Secretary; Mrs. A. T. Hill, Treasurer.

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March 19, 1875-d&wtojan'76

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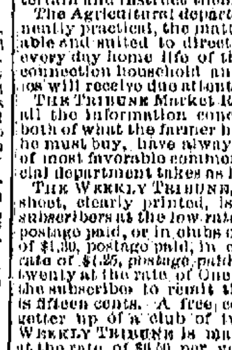
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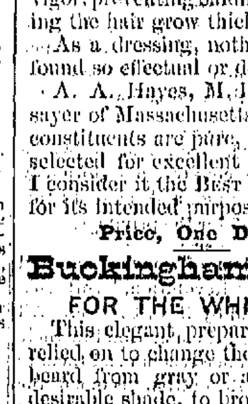
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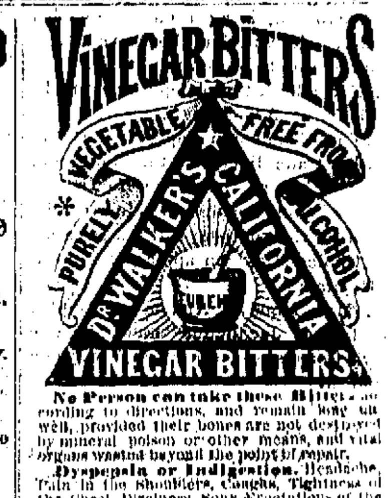
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*First Monday of December, A. D.* 1875,

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Decatur, Oct. 26, 1875—d4d

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when and where, unless they, the said Daniel Lefevre, Margaret Loucks, Samuel Loucks, Jonathan McGuigan, Elizabeth Kinsley, Barbara Fullerton, John H. McGuigan, George W. McGuigan and Peter McGuigan shall appear, and plead, answer or demur to said bill, the same will be taken as confessed against them. EDMISTON McCLELLAN,

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